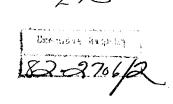
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Mr. Hugh Downs ABC 20/20 1717 DeSales Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Hugh:

I find it will not be possible for me to accept your invitation to be interviewed for ABC's 20/20. Last spring, when we discussed your proposal, I was inclined to accept. However, on further consideration, I have decided to continue the "low profile" policy I established when I first came on board.

Sincerely,

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William J. Casey
Director of Central Intelligence

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